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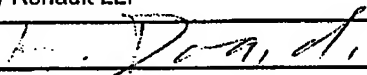
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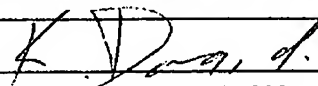
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 Inventor(s): Armen ZOHRABYAN, et al.
 Title: METHOD AND DEVICE FOR COUPLING A LIGHT EMITTING
 SOURCE TO AN OPTICAL WAVEGUIDE

Response to Office Action of November 16, 2005 attached.

TYPE OF DOCUMENT SUBMITTED

☒ Response to Official Action

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For FY 2006☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues) _____

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues) _____

Multiple dependent claims _____

Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
50	25
200	100
360	180

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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Indep. Claims	Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
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Group Art Unit: 2874

Filed: December 17, 2003

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For: Method And Device For Coupling A Light Emitting Source To An Optical Waveguide

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R § 1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed November 16, 2005, the one month extended period for response being March 16, 2006, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments in the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Abstract are reflected on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper

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